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## **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: TN Americas, LLC,
Standardized Advanced NUHOMS® Horizontal Modular Storage System
Certificate of Compliance No. 1029, Renewal of Initial Certificate and
Amendment Nos. 1, 3, and 4

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Direct final rule; confirmation of effective date.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is confirming the effective date of October 27, 2021, for the direct final rule that was published in the *Federal Register* on August 13, 2021. The direct final rule amended the NRC's spent fuel storage regulations by revising the TN Americas, LLC, Standardized Advanced NUHOMS® Horizontal Modular Storage System listing within the "List of approved spent fuel storage casks" to renew, for an additional 40 years, the initial certificate and Amendment Nos. 1, 3, and 4 of Certificate of Compliance No. 1029.

**DATES:** Effective date: The effective date of October 27, 2021, for the direct final rule published August 13, 2021 (86 FR 44594), is confirmed.

**ADDRESSES:** Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2021-0108 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information for this action. You may obtain publicly-available information related to this action by any of the following methods:

Federal Rulemaking Website: Go to <a href="https://www.regulations.gov">https://www.regulations.gov</a> and search for Docket ID NRC-2021-0108. Address questions about NRC dockets to Dawn Forder; telephone: 301-415-3407; email: <a href="mailto:Dawn.Forder@nrc.gov">Dawn.Forder@nrc.gov</a>. For technical

questions, contact the individuals listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section of this document.

- NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On August 13, 2021 (86 FR 44594), the NRC published a direct final rule amending its regulations in part 72 of title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* to renew, for an additional 40 years, the initial certificate and Amendment Nos. 1, 3, and 4 of the TN Americas, LLC, Standardized Advanced NUHOMS® Horizontal Modular Storage System Certificate of Compliance No. 1029. The renewal of the initial certificate and Amendment Nos. 1, 3, and 4 revise the certificate of compliance's conditions and technical specifications to address aging management activities related to the structures, systems, and components of the dry

storage system to ensure that these will maintain their intended functions during the period of extended storage operations.

In the direct final rule, the NRC stated that if no significant adverse comments were received, the direct final rule would become effective on October 27, 2021. The NRC did not receive any comments on the direct final rule. Therefore, this direct final rule will become effective as scheduled.

Dated: September 30, 2021.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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